

Reducing Plastic Pollution:

In an effort to reduce plastic pollution into the Santa Ana River, our neighborhood parks, and our wildlife areas, We'd like to challenge you and your family to reuse your trash!



Plastic Pollution - The Challenge:

Plastic pollution has become a problem in our city parks and into our very own Santa Ana River. It is important to keep plastic pollutants out of our water and out of our parks to protect our wildlife. In an effort to reduce plastic pollution in the City of Riverside, we challenge you and your family to reuse your plastic trash and make something useful in your home!

Take any plastic bottle, a milk jug, a water bottle, an orange juice container, etc and make something useful out of it. Get creative! Think about ways you can use it in your homes instead of throwing it away in the trash or on the ground. Post it on social media and tag us using hashtag #SustainableRiverside

Common Materials You'll Need:

- Scissors
- Markers
 - Paint
 - Tape

In connection to the city's sustainability efforts:

<u>Priority #4 Environmental stewardship</u>- meet the present needs of the community and those of future generations without compromising the ecosystems on which all depend.

E. Environmental Justice

F. Reduce Resource usage & Waste Reduction 4.5 Ensure that open spaces and natural lands are managed to support healthy ecosystems that are resilient to climate change and urban pressures.